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In Re: Patent Application of  
Olaf Vancura

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For: KNOWLEDGE-BASED CASINO GAME  
AND METHOD THEREFOR

Group Art Unit: 3711

Examiner: Pierce, William M.

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**RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits the following in response to the pending Office Action  
Made Final.

Enclosed is a copy of the Notice of Appeal filed on August 22, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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In re: Patent Application of  
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENTS AFTER FINAL REJECTION**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.116**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In the Specification:

Page 5, add after line 10:

-- Figure 5 is a functional flow diagram of the knowledge-based bonus game of the present invention based on Figure 2 and showing greater detail.

Figure 6 is a functional flow diagram of the knowledge-based bonus game of the present invention based on Figure 2 and showing house advantage detail. --

In the claims:

Cancel claims 31-41 and 59-87.

1. (twice amended) A method for playing a casino game comprising the steps of: